

## House Resolution No. 156

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the occasion to acknowledge milestone achievements in the histories of Show-Me State educational programs which incorporate the learning and growth opportunities associated with competitive sports; and

**Whereas**, the 2002 Winona High School Lady Wildcats volleyball team enjoyed the limelight of Missouri State High School Activities Association state-level competition for the third time in as many years; and

**Whereas**, competing this year as a Class 2 team, the Lady Wildcats finished the season in Second Place with an impressive 36-4 overall record to enhance past achievements as 1A State Champions in 2001 and Runners-up in 2000; and

**Whereas**, after defeating Crystal City 15-9, 15-12, and Holden by a score of 15-12, 15-13, the Lady Wildcats had their steady march to State Champion status halted by Hermann High School in a heartbreaking 4-15, 5-15 finals round on November 9, 2002, in Warrensburg; and

**Whereas**, the 2002 Lady Wildcats volleyball team consisted of Adeana McAfee, Melissa Chambers, Jessica Bland, Smokey Norris, Jessica Neal, Amber Johnson, Meagan Asplin, Rose Conaway, Jennifer Mast, Brianne Simpson, Danie Burg, Shasta West, and Denise Oehser; and

**Whereas**, admirably trained by six-year-veteran head coach Francie McBride, who justifiably boasts a career win-loss record of 163-45-3, the Lady Wildcats also benefitted from the contributions of her skilled and knowledgeable assistant coach, Wade Frescoln; and

**Whereas**, returning members of the Lady Wildcats volleyball team look forward with great anticipation to the 2003 competitive season when they will add new players to the roster and set out with fresh invigoration on another quest for the state trophy:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the exceptional season garnered by the Winona Lady Wildcat volleyball players and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's heartiest congratulations for placing Second at State and our best wishes for continued personal and team success for many more years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the 2002 Winona High School Lady Wildcats Class 2 volleyball team.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative J.C. Kuessner  
District No. 152

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 156, adopted January 28, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker